## Abstract

The invention relates to compounds of formula (I) for treating for example sexual dysfunction, wherein R<sup>1</sup> is optionally substituted C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, optionally substituted carbocyclyl, optionally substituted heterocyclyl, hydrogen, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkoxy, -NR<sup>2</sup> R<sup>3</sup> or -NR<sup>4</sup>SO<sub>2</sub>R<sup>5</sup>; X is the linkage -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>- or -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>q</sub>-O- (wherein Y is attached to the oxygen); wherein one or more hydrogen atoms in linkage X may be replaced independently by C<sub>1-4</sub>alkoxy; hydroxy; hydroxy(C<sub>1-3</sub>alkyl); C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl; carbocyclyl; heterocyclyl; or by C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl optionally substituted by one or more fluoro or phenyl groups; n is 3, 4, 5, 6 or 7; and q is 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6; and Y is phenyl or pyridyl, each of which may be substituted; or two R<sup>8</sup> groups on adjacent carbon atoms together with the interconnecting carbon atoms may form a fused optionally substituted 5- or 6-membered carbocyclic or heterocyclyic ring.

$$HO_2C$$
  $CH-CH_2$   $(I)$